## IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1-39 and add new claims 40-44 as follows.

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## 40. (New) An electrical connector, comprising:

- a molded housing of insulating material;
- a stamped insert having a plurality of contacts secured to the molded housing;
- a removable tab attached to the stamped insert and removable therefrom by severing along a line of attachment;

means formed in each of said contacts for attaching an electrical wire to each contact; and

- a side extension formed on each side of each of said contacts, each side extension being anchored within the molded plastic housing.
- 41. (New) The connector of claim 40, wherein the insulating material comprises moldable plastic.
- 42. (New) The connector of claim 40, wherein the insulating material comprises glass.
- 43. (New) The connector of claim 40, wherein the electrical connector is a strip connector.
- 44. (New) The connector of claim 40, wherein the line of attachment comprises a scribed line.